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TO AMEMBASSY PORT OF SPAIN PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG

SUBJECT: PETROLEUM REFINING IN THE CARIBBEAN

1. POSTS ARE REQUESTED TO REPORT TELEGRAPHICALLY ASAP BEST AVAILABLE DAA ON PETROLEUM REFINERY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FOR 1972 AND FOR MOST RECENT WEEK AVAILABLE, PREFERABLY CURRENT WEEK. DATE SHOULD BE IN TERMS OF AVERAGE BARRELS PER DAY (B/D). SPECIFIC QUESTIONS TO ANSWER ARE:

- A. CRUDE IMPORTS, BY AMOUNT AND COUNTRY OF ORIGIN.
- B. REFINERY CAPACITY AND THROUGHPUT.
- C. EXPORTS OF REFINED PRODUCTS BY AMOUNT AND COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.
- D. CRUDE AND REFINED SUPPLIES ON HAND AS OF LATEST DATE.
- E. EXPECTED CRUDE SUPPLIES DURING NEXT 30 DAYS, BY AMOUNT AND SOURCE.

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F. WHETHER ANY CHANGES IN MIX OF REFINERY OUTPUT ARE

OBSERVABLE BETWEEN 1972 AND LATEST DATE, I.E.  
AVIATION GASOLINE, GASOLINE, ETC.

2. DEPARTMENT RECOGNIZES DATA ON SOME OF ABOVE MAY NOT BE  
READILY AVAILABLE, IN WHICH CASE POSTS SHOULD REPORT  
PARTIAL DATA WHILE DEVELOPING THE REMAINDER. RUSH

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